

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4332
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USE OF TRACK RELAYING TRAIN
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether track relaying train (T.R.T.) machine is being used by the Government for laying new rail tracks;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the main features of this (T.R.T.) machine; and
- (d) the daily capacity of this machine to lay rail tracks?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R. VELU)

- (a) : Yes, Sir.
- (b) : There are total 4 track relaying trains working on Indian Railways for track renewal works.
- (c) : These machines can renew rails and sleepers individually as well together during traffic block.
- (d) : The rated capacity of the latest machine is to carryout track renewal upto 400 metre per effective traffic block hour.